



NEWS RELEASE

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SOUTHBOUND I-405 CLOSURES SCHEDULED

LOS ANGELES – Work is scheduled to begin on a \$50 million project to extend the High Occupancy Vehicle (HOV) lane on the southbound San Diego Freeway (I-405) from Sunset Boulevard to the Santa Monica Freeway (I-10). In connection with this project, the following **nightly** closures will be in effect for the week of May 16 through May 21:

- Monday, May 16 to Friday, May 20, from 10 p.m. to 6 a.m., up to four lanes of southbound I-405 from Sunset Boulevard to I-10;
- Friday, May 20 to Saturday, May 21, from 10 p.m. to 8 a.m., up to four lanes of southbound I-405 from Sunset Boulevard to I-10;
- Monday, May 16 to Saturday, May 21, from 7 p.m. to 6 a.m., the Sunset Boulevard on-ramp to southbound I-405;
- Tuesday, May 17 to Friday, May 20, from 10 p.m. to 6 a.m., the Santa Monica Boulevard on-ramp to and off-ramp from southbound I-405;
- Friday, May 20 to Saturday, May 21, from 10 p.m. to 8 a.m., the Santa Monica Boulevard on-ramp to and off-ramp from southbound I-405;
- Tuesday, May 17 to Friday, May 20, from 8 p.m. to 6 a.m., the eastbound and westbound Wilshire Boulevard on-ramps to and off-ramps from southbound I-405;
- Friday, May 20 to Saturday, May 21, from 8 p.m. to 8 a.m., the eastbound and westbound Wilshire Boulevard on-ramps to and off-ramps from southbound I-405.
- Tuesday, May 17 to Friday, May 20, from 7 p.m. to 6 a.m., the Waterford Street on-ramp to and the Olympic Boulevard off-ramp from southbound I-405 ;
- Friday, May 20 to Saturday, May 21, from 7 p.m. to 8 a.m., the Waterford Street on-ramp to and the Olympic Boulevard off-ramp from southbound I-405;
- Tuesday, May 17 to Friday, May 20, from midnight to 5 a.m., the southbound I-405 connector to eastbound and westbound I-10;
- Saturday, May 21, from 1 a.m. to 7 a.m., the southbound I-405 connector to eastbound and westbound I-10.





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Detour signs will be posted for the ramp closures. The detour for the connector closures will be:

- Exit on Santa Monica Boulevard, east on Santa Monica Boulevard, south on Sepulveda Boulevard, east on National Boulevard to the I-10 on-ramp.

This project is one of a series of improvements at the U.S. 101/I-405 Interchange. When completed in 2007, it will provide a continuous HOV lane on southbound I-405 from the San Fernando Valley to Los Angeles International Airport.

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